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Memorandum

To:

Director, Department of Administration

From:

Director, Department of Public Health & Social Services

Subject:

Petition for Blanket Authority

Hafa Adai! Pursuant to P.L. 28-112, now codified as 4GCA Section 6205, we are filing a "Petition for Blanket Authority" requesting for the recruitment above the minimum step one of the following positions:

- 1. Environmental Health Specialist III (Position Number 6092)
- 2. Health Educator III (Position Number 6165)
- 3. Engineer I (Position Number 6322)

This Petition is based on the fact that we have found it very difficult to find applicants for the above positions. There have been no applicants for the Engineer I position since it was announced in 2009. The Health Educator III position was announced three times during FY 2009; none of these recruitment attempts were successful. The Environmental Health Specialist III position was announced in FY 2008 and again in FY 2009; all applicants refused the position either due to promotion opportunities in their current position or because of the non-competitive salary. These positions have since been placed in continuous announcement by the Department of Administration (DoA), but to date, none had been certified by DoA as having qualified applicants.

In compliance with the "Disclosure Requirement" of the law, we will post this petition on our website for 10 days and issue a press release in order to give the public an opportunity to comment on our petition.

Should you have questions regarding this petition, please call Mr. Danilo L. Barrido at 735-7563. Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu Ma'ase.

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